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### **GLOUCESTER'S FISHING INDUSTRY: THEN AND NOW LECTURE FINDING AID & TRANSCRIPT**

<b>Speakers:</b>	Gaetano "Tommy" Brancaleone, Sam Favazza, George Ingersoll, Audrey Malloy, Peter Prybot
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#### **Video Description**

This video captures the first of three fireside chats that were held at the Cape Ann Museum in 2007 and 2008. These programs were presented in coordination with the Gloucester Lyceum and the Sawyer Free Library to help preserve the 20th century history of industry on Cape Ann. In this installment, *Gloucester Daily*

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*Times* journalist and author Peter Prybot (1948-2011) speaks with four individuals who have each had a distinct role in the different stages of seafood processing in Gloucester.

His first guest, Gaetano “Tommy” Brancaleone, is a third-generation Gloucester fisherman whose grandfather came from Sicily. As a longshoreman or “lumper,” George Ingersoll’s responsibility is to offload the catch and ready the boats for their next fishing trip. Sam Favazza (1934-2015) is a well-respected fish buyer and grader at the local fish auctions where the catch is sold. And Audrey Malloy has been a fish packer since the age of 15 and, at the time of the program, worked at the Whole Foods Pigeon Cove Seafood Facility in Gloucester. As each of these guests answers Peter’s questions and their stories unfold, they reveal not only how much things have changed over the years but also how deeply the fishing industry continues to permeate the city and people of Gloucester.

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### Subject list

Gaetano “Tommy” Brancaleone	<i>Joseph and Lucia III</i>
George Ingersoll	Side trawler
Sam Favazza	Lumper
Audrey Malloy	Whole Foods Pigeon Cove Seafood Facility
Peter Prybot	Oral history program
<i>Lobstering off Cape Ann: A Lifetime Lobsterman Remembers</i>	

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